

Performance Note HB0411 - Utah Medicaid Reform Amendments

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Performance Note Report

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Funding For: Serving a New or Larger Population

Public Benefit:

Purpose: Pay for health care provided to adults ages 19-64 with incomes below 100% of federal poverty level. Many of these adults are currently uninsured.

Services: Traditional Medicaid services which include inpatient and outpatient hospital, physician, pharmacy, long term care, community based services, etc. Reimbursement to providers at Medicare rates.

Expected Outcome: By FY 18, it is expected that 64,000 adults would be enrolled in the new program. This coverage would provide services to newly enrolled adults and reduce uncompensated care.

Implementations and Resources: UDOH will add newly eligible adults to the Medicaid program. Eligibility determination and case management will be handled by DWS through eREP. Claims payment will be made through MMIS (and then PRISM when it is implemented).

How: When DWS accepts and approves applications, newly eligible adults will be enrolled in Medicaid. When UDOH pays claims, medical providers will receive reimbursement for services provided to newly eligible adults. When medical providers are reimbursed for services that previously had been provided as uncompensated care, uncompensated care will be reduced.

Performance Measures

Goal

Title: Increased Medical Coverage for Adults

Description: Newly eligible adults ages 19-64 enrolled in Medicaid

Collection Method: Medicaid enrollment numbers

	2016	2017	2018
64000	0.00	0.00	64000.00
None	0.00	0.00	0.00

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